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REQUEST FOR REPLACEMENT OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Commissioner:

The October 30, 2008 official Office action cites a reference titled "Chen". However, a view of the 892 form reveals that it does not list any Chen reference and the action does not provide a citation for the Chen reference.

A replacement Office action is requested, resetting the date for response and properly citing the Chen reference.

Respectfully submitted,

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